

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20463

September 2, 1999

Mr. Christopher Carnes, Treasurer Orange County Democratic Central Committee 200 N. Main Street Santa Ana, CA 92701

RE: MURs 4389 and 4652

Dear Mr. Carnes:

This is to advise you that on August 17, 1999, the Federal Election Commission voted to take no further action with respect to the Orange County Democratic Central Committee ("Committee") and you, as treasurer, in the above-referenced matter. Accordingly, the file in this matter has been closed as it pertains to the Committee and you, as treasurer.

The file will he made part of the public record within 30 days after it has been closed with respect to all other respondents involved. Should you wish to submit any factual or legal materials to appear on the public record, please do so within ten days. Such materials should be sent to the Office of the General Counsel.

The Commission reminds you that the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C. §§ 437g(a)(4)(B) and 437g(a)(12)(A) remain in effect until the entire matter has been closed. The Commission will notify you when the entire file has been closed. In the event you wish to waive confidentiality under 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A), written notice of the waiver must be submitted to the Commission. Receipt of the waiver will be acknowledged in writing by the Commission.

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If you have any questions, please contact Eugene H. Bull, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Lawrence M. Noble General Counsel